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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4599

INFO AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO

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C O N F I D E N T I A L HONG KONG 4079

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EWWT, PFOR, SO, CH, HK

SUBJECT: CANCELLATION OF REGISTRATION OF SOMALI SHIPS

REF: STATE 85069, MOGADISCIO 222

AS OF MID-NOON THE PRC-CONTROLLED SHIP CHARTERING  
COMPANIES IN HONGKONG, YICK FUNG SHIPPING AND ENTER-  
PRISES AND OCEAN TRAMPING CO., CONTINUE TO OPERATE A  
LARGE NUMBER OF SOMALI-FLAG VESSELS AND HAVE GIVEN  
NO INDICATION THAT ANY CHANGE IN REGISTRATION IS PLANNED.  
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